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COMMUNICATED.

The democratic committee has met and fixed a date for the city primary, and it is generally understood that there is only one of the present officeholders who has opposition—the city sergeant. In order to minimize the expense attached thereto, would it not be wise to have the legislative fight at the same time? The candidates for the legislature, it is presumed, are willing—that is, those in this city, and it is generally rumored here that Mr. James E. Clements, of the county, will not be a candidate. If the contest is postponed till the gubernatorial fight, it will bring up issues which the people of this city are willing to let remain as they are. If the contest is to come between two Alexandrians—Messrs. Robinson Moccure and J. Fred Birrell—let it come with the city's primary and let those who have opposition—and those who have not—pay something for the privilege of being candidates or an officeholder without opposition. Rumors are spread through the city about the standing of the two candidates in their choice for governor, but this is what is expected whenever there is an election for any office. It appears to the writer that the would-be legislators realize that they have enough on their hands without "dipping" into the gubernatorial campaign. These reports are not taken seriously by anyone. They are malicious and without foundation of fact. Let the fight come on the merits of the men interested (leaving out the issues which affect the contest for governor, for they are "red" and an intelligent electorate will settle the matter as to who will represent them. The statements made by candidates or their friends as to the standing of either should be taken with a slight degree of doubt. If either was to "butt" into the gubernatorial contest—an unnecessary and indelicate proceeding—let him do so over his own signature and thus settle the matter as to his position—that is, if anybody cares particularly to know the position of either—but until this is done, the people should beware of statements made by friends of either candidate. Let's have an election void of offense and mud-slinging, and it is generally presumed both of the candidates are above this. If either of the two wins he will have the proud satisfaction of knowing that the bone and sinew of Virginia statesmanship have preceded him in the same position.

OPPOSE LOCAL OPTION.

A mass meeting of citizens which embraced the largest crowd ever assembled in the Academy of Music, in Richmond, was held last night for the purpose of frustrating the anticipated movement on the part of the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, to force a local option election upon Richmond. The crowd was enthusiastic. The following is a pertinent section of the resolution adopted.

"Resolved, That it is the opinion of those here assembled that any attempt whether by local option or statewide prohibition, to prohibit the legal liquor traffic here, would be revolutionary, extreme and disastrous. It would be an attempt to upset violently the established methods and customs of a law abiding, prosperous, useful, and quiet people. If unsuccessful, it would leave behind it bitterness and division among us and destroy the unity needed for continuance of our growth and usefulness to the state. If successful, as shown by experience elsewhere, it would involve us in discord and heavy and permanent material losses to people of all classes without giving us in exchange for the brilliant prospects now before us any definite moral reformation or decrease of the evils of intemperance."

MURDEROUS LOVER.

Because pretty Madeline Fortuna, a 17-year-old girl, of Wheeling, W. Va., refused to elope with him, it is alleged that Joseph White Monday night made a desperate attempt to cremate her in her bedroom. Later after the girl had been rescued, and he had escaped temporarily. White again a tuckered her, it is said, throwing a quantity of vitrol on her neck and shoulders. He was arrested. White had been persuading the girl to elope with him for several weeks, but she refused. On Monday night he went to the Fortuna house, is alleged, carrying a rope and a can of gasoline. Forcing his way into the girl's bedroom through an unfastened window, he drenched again White, she says, then he held her with the rope, gagged her, bound her with the rope, furniture, and floor with the gasoline, after which he ignited it, and escaped. She was rescued, and while being taken back home White appeared again and threw the acid on her.

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